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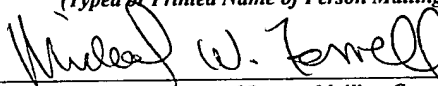
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the *Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment* mailed December 11, 2003, Applicant has pointed out that the *Amendment* was filed in proper form as of its filing date; that is, prior to July 30, 2003. See attached cop of the Federal Register, Vol. 68, page 38611. Nevertheless, Applicant files herewith beginning on page 2, a complete listing of claims in this application inasmuch as a typographical error was detected in Claim 18.

REMARKS begin on page 8 of this paper.

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